

To: Card, Joan[Card.Joan@epa.gov]
From: Hestmark, Martin
Sent: Sat 8/8/2015 5:14:53 PM
Subject: FW: Down river south of Durango
Well Water v2.doc

FYI -This is the press release that is related to the wells.

-----Original Message-----

From: Faulk, Libby
Sent: Saturday, August 08, 2015 8:41 AM
To: Card, Joan
Cc: McKean, Deborah; Griswold, Hays; Cristiano, Gina; Smith, Paula; Mylott, Richard; Peterson, Cynthia; Ostrander, David; Hestmark, Martin; Stevenson, Peter; Russo, Rebecca; Steve Bennett
Subject: RE: Down river south of Durango

This is being reviewed by the IC's.

Libby Faulk, Program Manager
Public Affairs and Community Involvement US EPA, Region 8
1595 Wynkoop Street
Denver, CO 80202
faulk.libby@epa.gov
303-312-6083

-----Original Message-----

From: Card, Joan
Sent: Saturday, August 08, 2015 7:33 AM
To: Faulk, Libby
Cc: McKean, Deborah; Griswold, Hays; Cristiano, Gina; Smith, Paula; Mylott, Richard; Peterson, Cynthia; Ostrander, David; Hestmark, Martin; Stevenson, Peter; Russo, Rebecca; Steve Bennett
Subject: Re: Down river south of Durango

Shaun says you are drafting a press release re private wells. Please send a draft before it goes out. We want to be sure of R6 and R9 input as we can expect these impacts in NM and maybe UT. Thanks.

Joan Card
Senior Policy Advisor
Region 8

Sent from my EPA iPhone

> On Aug 8, 2015, at 7:11 AM, Faulk, Libby <Faulk.Libby@epa.gov> wrote:

>

> Yes there is a Call Center. The number is 970-385-8700.

>

> Libby Faulk, Program Manager

> Public Affairs and Community Involvement US EPA, Region 8

> 1595 Wynkoop Street

> Denver, CO 80202

> faulk.libby@epa.gov

> 303-312-6083

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Card, Joan

> Sent: Saturday, August 08, 2015 6:56 AM

> To: Faulk, Libby
> Cc: McKean, Deborah; Griswold, Hays; Cristiano, Gina; Smith, Paula;
> Mylott, Richard; Peterson, Cynthia; Ostrander, David; Hestmark,
> Martin; Stevenson, Peter; Russo, Rebecca; Steve Bennett
> Subject: Re: Down river south of Durango
>
> Ok. Do will have a number people can call if their private drinking water well is impacted?
>
> Joan Card
> Senior Policy Advisor
> Region 8
>
> Sent from my EPA iPhone
>
> On Aug 8, 2015, at 6:52 AM, Faulk, Libby <Faulk.Libby@epa.gov> wrote:
>>
>> We're talking with Shaun right now. I've proposed to him the following:
>>
>> Media Call - Lisa, I'll call in
>> Public availability this afternoon evening - just me, possibly IC but will depend on time.
>>
>> Tomorrow public meeting in Durango
>> Public meeting in Silverton TBD - probably Monday
>>
>> I'm working with Rebecca regarding setting up a regular calls for local officials and congressional staff.
Not clear when those will start.
>>
>> Shaun is supportive. If we have a public meeting and can speak to
>> health impacts, land impacts, wildlife impacts would be good to have
>> Deb and Dan Wall is already here. Libby
>>
>> Libby Faulk, Program Manager
>> Public Affairs and Community Involvement US EPA, Region 8
>> 1595 Wynkoop Street
>> Denver, CO 80202
>> faulk.libby@epa.gov
>> 303-312-6083
>>
>> -----Original Message-----
>> From: Card, Joan
>> Sent: Saturday, August 08, 2015 6:41 AM
>> To: Faulk, Libby
>> Cc: McKean, Deborah; Griswold, Hays; Cristiano, Gina; Smith, Paula;
>> Mylott, Richard; Peterson, Cynthia; Ostrander, David; Hestmark,
>> Martin; Stevenson, Peter; Russo, Rebecca; Steve Bennett
>> Subject: Re: Down river south of Durango
>>
>> Libby, who from EPA do you have or need to support you in the sessions today?
>>
>> Also, Region 9 is deploying folks, including one to Durango. I'll forward you a separate email about
that.
>>
>> Joan Card
>> Senior Policy Advisor
>> Region 8
>>

>> Sent from my EPA iPhone
>>
>>> On Aug 8, 2015, at 4:44 AM, Faulk, Libby <Faulk.Libby@epa.gov> wrote:
>>>
>>> Will be meeting with EPA OSCs this morning. There's already a suggestion for a public meeting again tonight and one in Silverton probably on Monday. After thinking about it more I'm going to propose that EPA have an availability session this afternoon into the evening followed by a public meeting tomorrow evening once EPA and everyone else has had a chance to digest the data and be prepared to answer questions. I can then get a better understanding of all the concern and questions out there and spend some one on one time with people which I've had a few requests for.
>>>
>>> Question to you Deb. Can we have a lot more robust answers around
>>> health, livestock, recreational exposures, if any, by tomorrow
>>> night, if not sooner. Also, think it would be great if you could
>>> come down and present the information:)
>>>
>>> Thoughts? Libby
>>>
>>> Libby Faulk, Program Manager
>>> Public Affairs and Community Involvement US EPA, Region 8
>>> 1595 Wynkoop Street
>>> Denver, CO 80202
>>> faulk.libby@epa.gov
>>> 303-312-6083
>>>
>>> -----Original Message-----
>>> From: McKean, Deborah
>>> Sent: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:44 AM
>>> To: Faulk, Libby
>>> Cc: Griswold, Hays; Cristiano, Gina; Smith, Paula; Card, Joan;
>>> Mylott, Richard; Peterson, Cynthia; Ostrander, David; Hestmark,
>>> Martin; Stevenson, Peter; Russo, Rebecca; Steve Bennett
>>> Subject: Re: Down river south of Durango
>>>
>>> Dan and I will be talking soon and will give you a more official answer. He is on his way to Durango. My initial thought is that this slug will not appreciably add to precipitates that have previously deposited in the River sediments from historical mining activities.
>>>
>>> Sent from my iPhone
>>>
>>>> On Aug 7, 2015, at 8:35 AM, Faulk, Libby <Faulk.Libby@epa.gov> wrote:
>>>>
>>>> Good news. Should include in the messaging this afternoon. Question I heard yesterday evening is what about contamination that may have settle in the sediment. Question was asked that when they step in the river it kicks up the sediment. How will that be addressed. Are there exposures?
>>>>
>>>> Libby Faulk, Program Manager
>>>> Public Affairs and Community Involvement US EPA, Region 8
>>>> 1595 Wynkoop Street
>>>> Denver, CO 80202
>>>> faulk.libby@epa.gov
>>>> 303-312-6083
>>>>
>>>> -----Original Message-----
>>>> From: Griswold, Hays
>>>> Sent: Friday, August 07, 2015 8:30 AM

>>>> To: Faulk, Libby
>>>> Cc: Cristiano, Gina; Smith, Paula; Card, Joan; Mylott, Richard;
>>>> Peterson, Cynthia; Ostrander, David; Hestmark, Martin
>>>> Subject: Re: Down river south of Durango
>>>>
>>>> The Animas is clearing at Silverton no longer red or orange just
>>>> cloudy
>>>>
>>>> Sent from my iPhone
>>>>
>>>>> On Aug 7, 2015, at 8:25 AM, Faulk, Libby <Faulk.Libby@epa.gov> wrote:
>>>>>
>>>>>
>>>>>
>>>>> Libby Faulk, Program Manager
>>>>> Public Affairs and Community Involvement US EPA, Region 8
>>>>> 1595 Wynkoop Street
>>>>> Denver, CO 80202
>>>>> faulk.libby@epa.gov
>>>>> 303-312-6083
>>>>>
>>>>> -----Original Message-----
>>>>> From: Stevenson, Peter
>>>>> Sent: Friday, August 07, 2015 7:59 AM
>>>>> To: Faulk, Libby
>>>>> Subject: Re: Down river south of Durango
>>>>>
>>>>> Just talked to ENV. Guys with So. Utes. They say the yellow boy
>>>>> is halfway to New Mexico from Durango
>>>>>
>>>>> Sent from my iPhone
>>>>>
>>>>>> On Aug 7, 2015, at 7:47 AM, Faulk, Libby <Faulk.Libby@epa.gov> wrote:
>>>>>>
>>>>>> Thanks!
>>>>>>
>>>>>> Libby Faulk, Program Manager
>>>>>> Public Affairs and Community Involvement US EPA, Region 8
>>>>>> 1595 Wynkoop Street
>>>>>> Denver, CO 80202
>>>>>> faulk.libby@epa.gov
>>>>>> 303-312-6083
>>>>>>
>>>>>> -----Original Message-----
>>>>>> From: Stevenson, Peter
>>>>>> Sent: Friday, August 07, 2015 7:44 AM
>>>>>> To: Faulk, Libby
>>>>>> Subject: Down river south of Durango
>>>>>>
>>>>>>
>>>>>>